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In re Patent Application of:  
Francois Spertini et al.

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For: ALLERGEN PEPTIDE FRAGMENTS AND  
USE THEREOF

Examiner: N. M. Rooney

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Office Action dated February 12, 2007, in which all elected claims (55-65) stand rejected under one or more of 35 U.S.C. §§112 (first and second paragraphs) 102(b) and 103(a). This response is timely filed as it is accompanied by a two month extension of time to July 12, 2007. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.